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August 1, 2005

Mr. Brian Johnson
Branch Chief
Securities and Exchange Commission
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Room 2531 - STOP 1004
100 F Street, NE
Washington, DC 20549

Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, CIT Group Inc., 6.350% Non-Cumulative Preferred Stock, Series A and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on August 1, 2005. Tentative listing date - August 2, 2005.

Sincerely,

Paul J. H. [Signature]

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